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TO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV PRIORITY

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TAGS: ETRN, TECH, IS

SUBJECT: GOI INTEREST IN NEW ROHR BUS

REF: (A) STATE A-9186, (B) TEL AVIV'S A-282

1. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED NOT RPT NOT TO ACT ON INFORMATION CONTAINED IN REF (A) UNTIL DOT HAS HAD OPPORTUNITY TO CLARIFY CERTAIN QUESTIONS.

2. ROHR HAS TWO PARALLEL BUS DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS. THE TRANSBUS PROJECT IS RECEIVING SUBSTANTIAL DOT R AND D SUPPORT, WHILE THE HIGH VALUE BUS PROJECT IS ENTIRELY A ROHR INITIATIVE. GIVEN TECHNICAL DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THESE TWO BUSES, IT MAY BE ASSUMED THAT ISRAELI INTEREST IS IN LATTER.

3. DOT WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING AN INDICATION AS TO WHETHER HIRAM'S PROPOSAL IN REF (B) WAS PUT TO ROHR DIRECTLY AND WITH WHAT RESULTS, OR IF NOT PUT TO ROHR, WHY NOT? DOT'S VIEW IS THAT FOR ROHR TO ADVANCE GOI THE R AND D ADAPTATION COSTS WOULD APPEAR MORE LOGICAL THAN INSERTING USG INTO THE PICTURE. RUSH

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